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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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For: A MARKETING SYSTEM AND METHOD PROCESSING MARKET INFORMATION OF  
CONSUMERS AND DEALERS VIA A NETWORK

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 22, 2001, and having a period for response set to expire on August 22, 2001. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to October 22, 2001. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please AMEND the following claims:

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1. (FOUR TIMES AMENDED) A marketing system for processing market information of consumers and dealers via an electronic network, comprising:
  - personal information registering means for registering personal information of a consumer;
  - market information registering means for registering market information about goods which the consumer desires to purchase;
  - posting means for extracting and posting the market information registered in said market information registering means according to genres; and
  - personal information acquiring means for acquiring for a dealer personal information of the consumer necessary for the dealer to access the consumer from said personal information